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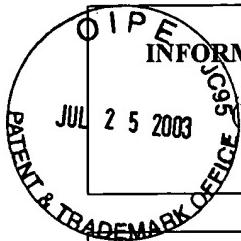
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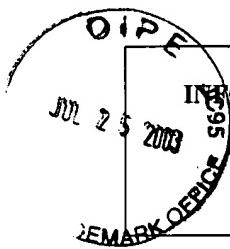
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<i>aw</i>	Addams Family Advertisement and Article written by IGT, Strictly Slots, published in 2000.
<i>CW</i>	Bally Slot Machines Electro-Mechanicals 1964-1980 Book, Revised 3 rd Edition [In Part] written by Marshall Fey.
<i>CW</i>	Cuckoo Aristocrat Brochure written by Aristocrat, published in February 1998.
<i>CW</i>	DoubleBucks Brochure written by IGT (not dated).
<i>CW</i>	Field Testing New Slots Article, written by Strictly Slots, published in July 2000.

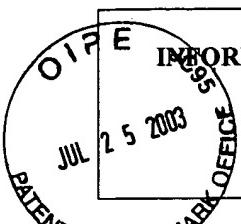
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